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PRECINCT COMMITTEE DECIDES UPON COUNCILMANIC CANDIDATE

W. H. Calvert's Name to Appear on Ballot as Republican Nominee

LAW PROVIDES THE SYSTEM

Way Fixed for Filling Vacancy in Nominations Where Resignation Occurs After Primaries—County Committee Says to go Ahead.

The name of W. H. Calvert will go on the official ballots of Charleroi as a Republican candidate for the two-year term of council to succeed C. W. Weltner who has resigned. Such was the decision of the Republican precinct committeemen which met Tuesday afternoon at the office of D. M. McCloskey, Esq., to nominate a candidate. The only other name considered was that of George W. Moody who received two votes. The law states that where a member of council resigns after the primaries, the county committee may name the candidate. The county committee, acting after advice had been received from the board of county commissioners, told the local precinct committeemen to select a candidate he in turn to be recognized by the county committee.

Both Mr. Calvert and Mr. Moody are now serving in council as appointed members to take the places of J. K. Kickey and C. W. Weltner, resigned. Their appointments extend however only to the first of the year. For a time it was thought the "sticker" system would have to be followed for the election of a councilman to take Mr. Weltner's place. Both Mr. Calvert and Mr. Moody would likely have been candidates. They were candidates for councilmanic nominations at the primaries, but neither won. Moody ran two votes ahead of Calvert.

Though Calvert's name will go on the official ballots, Moody's friends will still insist upon the use of stickers in his behalf and he will still remain in the fight. At the Tuesday meeting J. H. Bowers, chairman of the first precinct committee presided, with D. R. Duvall of the third precinct as secretary. R. J. Whitehead represented the second, Oscar Linn the fourth, D. M. McCloskey the fifth and H. S. Piersol the sixth.

WILL HOLD 'PIE SOCIAL' AT ST. JEROME'S LYCEUM

Arrangements are being made by the young ladies of St. Jerome's Catholic church for a pie social which will be held at St. Jerome's Lyceum on Tuesday evening of next week at 8 o'clock. Invitations have been issued for the event.

Hypocrites
A dramatic masterpiece by Lois Weber. One of the most original dramas ever filmed. Courtesy Foote as Gabriel, the ascetic. Supported by an all star cast. Coyle Theatre Friday. 108-12-*

The Irrepressible John Barrymore as "The Incurable Duke" tomorrow. Coyle Theatre. 108-11-*

CHURN GOLD. 100-14

UNIONTOWN HIGH SCHOOL TO PLAY CHARLEROI SATURDAY

Hard Game Anticipated by Local Football Squad—Normal and Connellsville Games Follow Soon.

Another of the hardest games of the season for the high school football team is promised for Saturday with the Uniontown high school. In anticipation of the struggle Coach Gdanec is working hard preparing this week and will have his squad in as good if not in better shape than he had it for the Washington high school game last Saturday here. Uniontown high, Connellsville high, Washington high and a number of Pittsburgh high schools are on a par so far as their athletic teams are concerned. Charleroi this year is the equal of any of them and is proving it. The Uniontown game will begin a hard schedule. The following Saturday, October 30, the local team will play California Normal here, and that will be followed by a game with the Connellsville high school on the local field.

CONSTANTINOPLE IS TRANSFORMED

So Says Robert Mountsier in Story From Turkish Metropolis and Capital City

CORRUPTION AMONG TURKS

A second article published in the London Daily News and Leader from the pen of A. Robert Mountsier on life in Constantinople, is furnished the Mail to re-print through the courtesy of Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Mountsier, parents of the writer. The second article is headed "Constantinople Transformed." Rights are reserved by the author. The article follows:

In more ways than one Constantinople showed itself during the last two months the capital of a country that is fighting without any heart for mercenary officials and for an alien people with whom the Turks have nothing in common. Business is bad, food is dearer, and bread is scarce. "Give us bread!" was a cry not infrequently heard, and on one occasion in Stambul it reached such proportions that a riot resulted. At the time every shop throughout the city was flying one or more red flags bearing the crescent and star. No shopkeeper dared violate the police order that all flags should be hung out in celebration of a great victory. What was the victory? Ten thousand English soldiers had been killed—so the official report said. The bakery where the trouble started had no loaves to distribute. However, its flags were flying.

"We want bread, not flags," shout-

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WITS TO BATTLE OVER THEFT OF AUTOMOBILE

Well Known Business Men and Citizen Selected for Participation in Rich Featuring Entertainment At School Auditorium

The richest sort of entertainment is promised Friday night at the high school auditorium when a mock trial will be held under the auspices of the Good Will Bible class of the Methodist Episcopal church. Special interest is given the affair because of the well known men who are taking part. The cast of characters is being announced today as follows:

Judge, John S. Rodgers, Esq. Attorneys for the prosecution, W. Ray Kent, Thomas Warrensford; for the defense, W. H. Miliken and H. J. Booth; clerk of courts, Ralph White; sheriff, Louis J. Mitchell; court crier, Jess Waggoner; court stenographer, Prof. J. R. Carroll; tipstaffs, Frank Barnett, Harry Frye, John Colliffe.

Witnesses for the prosecution will be: A Mayor, Burgess A. G. Dunlap of Monessen; Wes Penn, George Leith; R. Koroner, James T. Heffernan; B. Vernon, S. B. Graham; A. Frost, Phillip Snow; Steve Markivitch, John Jenkins; O. U. Schwitzer, George Gehring.

Witnesses for the defense will be: George Washington, Frank Mallick; Will I. Lee, T. L. Pollock; Admiral Dewey, Richard A. Roberts; William Jennings Bryan, T. R. Eagye; E. L.

Estate, E. J. Charles; Dent I. Fricke, Dr. Clarence B. James; Dr. Church, Rev. J. E. Charles, Ph. D., Tony Soaghetti, Lambert Heaton.

The case to be fought out has already been announced having to do with the supposed theft of John H. Frye's automobile by W. D. Pollock and Dr. Wesley Graham Mead. These two are supposed to have gone joy riding in the machine when neither could drive a car and when neither had a state license to drive.

The following are the jurors from which the jury to hear the case will be empaneled: S. W. Sharpnack, J. D. Berryman, K. W. Daly, Walter Pyerly, Harry W. Scott, E. W. Hastings, J. J. Holt, L. Greenberg, J. B. Schafer, R. O. Vetter, W. B. Pfieghardt, John C. McKee, R. H. Rush, S. D. Hill, H. A. Heupel, O. Lance Riggs, F. J. John, U. S. Orange, Jack Testelbaum, W. D. Parks, Cary Piper, N. Greenberg, Roland W. Brown, C. W. Weltner, John Rider, "Bud" Land, T. P. Grant, T. R. Eagye, E. J. Charles, Fred Clerihue, E. wing B. Todd, W. C. Clark, Joseph Hepler, Burgess S. L. Woodward, C. R. Peregrine, Capt. J. K. Hein, L. H. Goehring, Floyd Chalfant, J. Bryant Tussing.

MRS. DUNBAR TO MAKE TWO ADDRESSES HERE ON FRIDAY

Mrs. Paul Dunbar, wife of the late poet Dunbar, is to make two addresses Friday when she comes to Charleroi to boost the interests of woman suffrage. The first one will be made on the street corner at Fifth and Fallowfield and the second at St. James' A. M. E. church. Mrs. Dunbar is one of the most cultured colored women of the age. Her husband the late Paul Lawrence Dunbar has obtained by reason of his poems and important place in American literature.

PITTSBURG FIRM GETS THE BALLOT CONTRACT

Pittsburg Printing Company Secures Award at Their Price of \$14 Per Thousand—Adjustments Are First Necessary.

The printing of the official and precinct ballots for the November election will be done by the Pittsburg Printing Co., of Pittsburg. The contract was Tuesday awarded to that firm. The contract price is \$14 per thousand for 64,147 ballots or \$898.06. Two bids were submitted last week for the work, the Ward Printing Co., of Washington, bidding \$1,575.

On account of some adjustments the controller and commissioners wish to make with the Pittsburg firm growing out of the printing of the primary ballots, no award was made of the contract until Tuesday. The bid of the Pittsburg firm for printing the primary ballots was \$997. There were some extra ballots that had to be printed and some corrections made and for this additional

MISSIONARY SOCIETY HEARS TALK ON MORMONISM'S MENACE

At a meeting of the Senior Missionary Society of the Washington Avenue Presbyterian church, with members of the Westminister Guild as guests, Mrs. W. J. Snyder of Pittsburg, a national organizer of the Anti-Mormon Reform League spoke interestingly on "The Menace of Mormonism." She told of the work the league was doing and described her tour last summer of eight states and Canada in the interests of the crusade. The church was decorated in autumn colors. Music was furnished by a young men's quartet consisting of John Jeffries, Donald Eneix, Horace Nutt and Marion Kinder and by a ladies' quartet consisting of Misses Emma Clutter, Mrs. John Metz, Miss Norah Swan and Miss Mamie Rockwell.

Granted Divorce.

Judge Mathers, of Warren, Ohio, has granted a divorce to John C. Leighner of Bentleyville, formerly of Warren, Ohio, from Florence Edna Leighner. The divorce suit was a sensational one in the Ohio courts, for several prominent men of that place were mixed up in the affair. The correspondent, W. O. Ormsby is a prominent attorney and justice of the peace in Warren.

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work a bill of \$243.01 was rendered. This was considered exorbitant and was not paid. A representative of the Pittsburg firm met with the controller and commissioners and agreed to accept \$100 for this extra work, making the total price for the primary ballots \$1,097.

SPECIAL CAR CHARTERED FOR MERCHANTS' COUNTY SEAT TRIP

BOND OF \$10,000 IS FILED AND EDITOR GETS RELEASED

Freeland Released From Temporary Prison in Beaver After Property Owners Sign it

E. L. Freeland, editor of the Beaver Daily Times has been released from the temporary county jail in Third street, Beaver, where he had been confined since Saturday afternoon, when he was arrested on a capias issued in an action brought by Judge Richard S. Holt.

The editor was released on a bond furnished by citizens of Beaver county and presented to the sheriff by W. S. Anderson of Beaver. While the amount of bail demanded was \$10,000 it is said the estimated value of property represented by those who signed the bond for Mr. Freeland's release from jail would reach more than \$500,000.

Supplemental bonds circulated by friends of The Times and its editor in various parts of Beaver valley and county were filed Tuesday.

MINISTERS MEET AT BELLE VERNON

Temperance Movement Discussed at Third Meeting Of Valley Association

PAPER BY REV. M. M. ALBECK

The third meeting of the Monongahela Valley Ministerial Association, composed of ministers of towns between Riverview and Fayette City inclusive, was held at Belle Vernon Tuesday, when an interesting program was carried out.

Dr. C. E. Keller of the Monessen Lutheran church president of the association presided. The opening session was held at 10:30 o'clock in the morning. Rev. A. H. Davies of the Methodist Episcopal church of Monessen preached the sermon, his theme being "The Triumphant Church." A paper was read by Rev. M. M. Albeck, pastor of the Monongahela Lutheran church. His subject was "The Temperance Outlook and Growth of the Temperance Movement in the United States."

There were about 20 ministers present from Charleroi and nearby points. The first meeting of the association was held during this year in Charleroi. The second was at Monessen.

You are cordially invited to attend the Fall and Christmas Grand Opening of our new store on Thursday and Friday. Come and get a souvenir. H. Porter, Jeweler and Optician, 502 Fallowfield avenue, where the big street clock is. 108-11-*

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Charleroi and Monongahela Business Men Join in Preparations for Convention

TO STUDY BUSINESS AFFAIRS

Methods of Keeping Trade in Washington County to be Discussed in General Discussion—Meetings at Community Building.

Charleroi and Monongahela merchants will travel to the county seat tomorrow by special car to attend the first convention of county retail merchants. The special car will leave Charleroi at about 7:30 o'clock and 40 or more are expected to catch it from here. At Monongahela the car will be boarded by fully that many more.

Merchants from all parts of the county are anticipating attending the convention and at Washington it is stated that 200 or 300 visitors will be there.

The convention will be for the purpose of studying intelligently the conditions which face the merchants of the county and for the purpose of studying the best methods for combating the effect of mail order houses.

A general discussion of the various problems facing retail merchants will be one of the features of the meeting. There will be a division in regard to trades. The convention is the result of a get-acquainted movement started by the Washington Board of Trade during the summer. A dinner will be served in the evening. The Community building will be the place of the meeting.

H. PORTER ANNOUNCES TWO DAY OPENING TO TAKE PLACE THIS WEEK

Announcement of his fall opening and a general invitation to the public to attend the event is being issued by H. Porter, the Fallowfield jeweler. The opening days will be Thursday and Friday of the week. The store will be nicely decorated with palms, ferns and cut flowers. Music will be played and souvenirs will be given to all visitors. Mr. Porter has just completed the work of fitting up his new store at 502 Fallowfield avenue and it presents a splendid appearance.

GOOD PICTURES AT COYLE BOTH THURSDAY AND FRIDAY

As the attraction at the Coyle for Thursday John Barrymore as "The Incurable Duke" has been programmed. This is a unique combination of drama, comedy and romance. Friday "Hypocrites" will be shown. It is an absolutely dramatic story dealing fearlessly with those self righteous people who condemn the seeker for Truth. Courtney Foote and Myrtle Stedman appear in the leading roles in this picture.

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THE QUEST FOR TRUE NEWS.

Few newspaper readers appreciate the pains to which editors go to verify the news they print. They don't succeed all the time, and in fact seldom succeed in being wholly veracious throughout a single issue, but they honestly try, says an exchange. Their failure is due chiefly to the practical impossibility of getting absolutely accurate reports of events, even from eyewitnesses. Any experienced judge or lawyer will recognize this difficulty. When reports come at second or third hand, especially when persons not trained as reporters are depended on, the chances for error, intentional or unintentional, are of course greatly increased.

The New York World two years ago established a Bureau of Accuracy and Fair Play for the purpose of sifting the stories sent in by "rural correspondents" having found that news matter from such sources was most often called in question. It recently made public a report of its work.

Of 787 cases in which the truth of news stories had been questioned, 459 were sustained and 291 were found to be either unfounded on fact or incorrectly reported. In all the latter cases, corrections were printed. Many of the correspondents were discharged.

The Louisville (Ky.) Courier-Journal, commenting on this investigation, says: "If every paper in the land would join in a crusade to end faking, it would not be long before the correspondents who write these stories on space would give over futile efforts to break into print."

"A GO-TO-THE DOCTOR WEEK"

It had to come and it's here—a "go-to-the-doctor week" is the very latest. It is proposed by Health Commissioner Goldwater of Brooklyn, who hopes to have it observed nationally during the week of December 6 to 12. Primarily his idea is part of the campaign against the white plague. He believes that an annual physical examination would detect the presence of tuberculosis in its incipient stages when hope of treatment is best, says the Pittsburgh Dispatch.

Fantastic as the suggestion may appear, it will commend itself to the thoughtful. An annual physical examination might lead to the discovery and checking of many other diseases, cancer for example, unsuspected by the victim until too late. People used to think of the dentist only when a toothache tormented. Nowadays visits to the dentist are made with more or less regularity as a precaution and preventive. Surely the care of the whole body is as important as that of the teeth.

Our ideas of health protection, like our ideas of fire protection, have undergone a great change in recent years. Just as we are beginning to pay more attention to fire prevention, to avoiding the causes of fires, so we are beginning to pay attention to disease prevention by the elimination of disease breeding spots and conditions. The "go-to-the-doctor week" may not be observed nationally this year or next, but there can be no doubt that the trend towards individual adoption of the idea is strengthening.

A Beaver county newspaper editor was put in jail charged with libel and we rather guess politicians who put him there are sitting on tacks. He demanded divorce of rum and poli-

tics in that county, and they took it for granted he was slapping them. Hence he was jailed when he did not quarrel before them. Probably both sides are somewhat to blame, and perhaps the whole case will be dropped when the time comes, which won't be until after election yet something will be accomplished by the whole proceeding. There must be wrongs in Beaver to cause the editor to attempt confusions and the other side to force them like that, and the mere publicity the affair is now getting will go far toward causing a general purging of conditions. And thank heaven for anything that will tend to an improvement in government, whether local, state or national.

Without digging deep into the subject most observers would be inclined to agree heartily with Gen. Logan of Pittsburgh that a big standing army is unnecessary. He thinks the national guard should be made to answer the needs of the country. His idea commends itself to those with a sense of economy who deplore the present day tendency toward increasing numerical strength of the regular standing army.

National guard regulations could be improved and new regiments added in each state. Then add to this army the state police, if need be—men who are in constant service and who are trained fighters. The result would be an army worth while without the exceedingly heavy expense of a large force always in the field.

Those who believe that the way to a man's heart is through his stomach must be convinced of the efficacy of the multitudinous luncheons served at practically all church affairs except Sunday services. The fact is that it is a difficult matter in some localities where need of reform is most pronounced, to even have a business session without the usual sandwich and cake accompaniments. But it isn't such a serious matter and if tickling the palate will help fill the pews, let's tickle it a little more.

Electric Sparks

Some men when they talk, secure the undivided attention of their audience, which is themselves.

It has come to the point where structural steel workers have to be called in when they build an ordinary sized automobile truck.

If they put that Beaver editor in jail for saying a few of the things he thought about politics and politicians in Beaver county wonder if they could hang him for the things he thought and didn't say?

Same Here.
This may bring sorrow to some folks And start them raising ned.
But the one-cent mail that's sent to me Is never never read!

—Strickland Gilliland.

We All Know 'Em.
Tis common fate
To be surrounded
By folks who state:
"The man was drowned."

—Detroit Free Press.
And then they came
From near and far—
To add another:
It's "burgular."

—Painesville Telegraph-Republican
And there are those—
(No power can still 'em)
Who thus dispose
Of the word, "Bum."

—Geneva Free Press-Times.
The names of ginks
Would fill a volume
Who always call
A column "Colyum."

—Philadelphia Star

PICKED UP IN PASSING

After a day of golfing and an evening of automobiling Jane's skin was irritated from the combined effects of sun and wind, so she liberally "cold-creamed" her face and hands and settled herself for a good night's rest.

In a few minutes her face began to feel stiff and drawn. "At last," she

thought, "the expected has happened. I have paralysis."
Her nervousness increased when her fingers became unmanageable and her skin began to crack and snap.
She hastily turned on the light and found her face alarmingly waxy and stony. What could be the cause?
Finally she rushed for the tube of cold cream. It was labeled "Library Paste"—Youth's Companion.

Baseball of the Nations.
Japan—Can play any position and makes all the managers nervous.
Russia—A big fellow, but so slow he has to make a homer in order to get to first.
Belgium—The innocent spectator who was hit with a foul ball.
Turkey—A pitcher who looked easy but who is making a lot of trouble.

Uncle Sam—The man who owns the pop, peanuts and refreshment privilege.
War Correspondents—The men who can't get into the press stand because the managers have given all the seats to their friends.
Czar—The manager with loads of substitutes, but too few regular players.—Collier's Weekly.

BENTLEYVILLE

John Snyder of Main street has returned after spending some time attending to business affairs in Pittsburgh.

Horace T. Gault of Monongahela was a business caller in town Monday. Glenn Hawkins of Beallsville has returned home after spending a short time with friends in Bentleyville.

Horace Yohe of Monongahela, spent Monday among friends in town.

C. S. Patterson has returned home after spending some time with friends and relatives in Monongahela.

Misses Bessie and Sara Tudor of Beaver college, have returned to resume studies after a short visit with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas H. Tudor of this place.

I. B. Richardson has returned home after a short stay with friends and relatives in West Alexander.

Afraid of Death.

"The pomp of death," said the wise Bacon, "frightens us more than death itself." The king of terrors has no terrors that we have not lent him. And yet who would disagree with the sentiment of the unhappy Oscar Wilde? "Death is the only thing that ever terrifies me. I hate it. One can survive everything nowadays except death."

But Wilde did not hate death when it finally came to release his harassed and broken spirit. Reason and common sense bid us neither to hate nor to fear death, but simply to ignore it until the hour comes, and then to accept it just as we accept life. A Roman stoic philosopher was discoursing one day on life and death.

"They are just the same," he said; "there is no difference between them." "Why don't you die, then, if there is no difference?" one of his disciples asked.

"Because there is no difference," returned the philosopher.—Boston Globe

Feats of Cider-Drinking.

Will cider—which was drunk in England even in the days of the Romans—increase in popularity as a result of escaping the new taxation? A century or so ago enormous quantities were consumed, more particularly in the cider districts, where the drink is still popular. In his Cambridge reminiscences Henry Ganning says that in 1788 when he was a tutor in Herefordshire he witnessed some extraordinary feats in cider drinking. Farm laborers were allowed to drink as much as they liked, and it was not unusual for a man to put his lips to a wooden bottle containing four quarts and not remove them until he had emptied it.—Exchange

Making a Concrete Buoy.

Re-enforced concrete during the last few years has been invading many fields which hitherto have been considered as belonging exclusively to iron and steel. One of the interesting illustrations of this fact is the construction of a concrete buoy at Kingston, Jamaica.

It is stated that the cost is only about 50 per cent of the cost of a similar buoy made of steel.
To prevent the mooring chain from injuring the bottom of the buoy the latter is made concave. The manhole cover was grouted into its place after the buoy was afloat. Leakage is handled by means of a pump-hole.

Happiness.

"I have tried all sorts of happiness, and it never lasts" said a spoiled, petulant, cynical woman.
"Did you ever try forgetting yourself for six months?" said a shrewd listener. The question went to the heart of the trouble. To paraphrase an old proverb, when self comes in at the door, happiness flies out of the window.

Bits of Byplay

By Luke McLuke

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Still.
A wife moans, "I wish I had a son."
The husband looks at her and says:
"He has a son to keep at home."

Paw Knows Everything.
Wife—Paw, what is an excuse?
Paw—An excuse is something you can't think of when you need it, my son.

Feat.
Some time ago I saw a man say:
"Just think of it, I have a fine time."
You must account for some feat to leave footprints in the sands of time.

The Wise Fool.
"And what is the chief end of man?" asked the sage.
"The end his head is on," replied the fool.

The Restless Day.
Though Sunday is a day of rest,
It doesn't rest a man by far.
We loaf around and feel distressed,
And, oh, how restless we all are!

Luck.
"Do you believe in luck?" asked the old fogey.
"Sure I do," replied the ground.
"How are you going to account for the success of other people?"

You Know Him.
There was a man I will not trust;
His name is Amos Blodgett;
He always sees his duty just
In time to quickly dodge it.

Whaddy Ya Mean, "Performed?"
The closing prayer was performed by Chaplain E. N. King of the regiment.—A Cincinnati Contemporary.

Advice.
Behave yourself, don't be a gink,
Just pass temptation by,
And never, never take a drink
Unless, of course, you're dry.

No Joke.
Luke McLuke says that once in awhile you meet an old maid who should have been an old bachelor. And once in awhile you meet a young man who should have been a debutante.—Columbia State.

The Loiterer.
In this still time of dreamful autumn days,
When maple leaves a reddening hue
Make on
Dead summer's ghost yet haunts the woodland way,
Though summer time be gone,
—Farm and Fireside.

In this dry state of desiccated days,
Where reddening hues no noses now
Make on,
Dead drunken beats yet haunt the copper's ways,
Though bonfire corn be gone,
—Victor Hamilton, Grantsville, W. Va.

Contraries.
"This rime may seem a silly joke,"
Remarked old Mr. Snipe,
"But if you want a stove to smoke,
Just take away the pipe."

—Cincinnati Enquirer
"This rime may seem not worth the chalk,
Remarked our neighbor Bill,
"But if you want your wife to talk,
Just tell her to keep still."

—Houston Post.
He's In.
Dear Luke—How about Ralph Razon, the Richmond (Ind.) barber, for a job in the teasorial parlor in the club?—K. E.

Waff!
There is a man in our town,
An ivory headed pup;
At 4 a. m. he mows his lawn
And wakes the neighbors up
—Cincinnati Enquirer.

There is a man in our town,
A proud, perspiring popper;
His month-old daughter yells all night—
"Gosh, how we wish her stopper!"
—Pittsburgh Post.

Things to Worry About.
Alcohol can be made from whiskey root.

Names Is Names.
Ike Anzor lives at St. Mary's, O.

Our Daily Special.
It takes a wise man to keep quiet.

Luke McLuke Says:
Mother is mighty patient about it when she catches one of the children using her hairbrush. But if father catches one of them using his towel he wants a divorce.

A man can learn to talk in two years. But it takes him all the rest of his life to learn to keep his mouth shut.

Any time a man gets up and admits that he is wrong we all have a sneaking suspicion that maybe he is right after all.

Many a man has gone to bed by candle light so as to save enough money to enable his son to let the electric lights burn all night.

Some beauty may be skin deep. But most of it rubs off when you touch it.

A woman will sit around the house for four days and make up her mind to do a thing. Then she will get up and do something else.

One reason why mother knows that the children have more sense than their father is because they never complain if the tablecloth happens to be soiled.

When you take a better half prepare for the worst.
After all, play is merely work that you are not compelled to do and for which you receive no pay.

Charleroi HALLOWE'EN CELEBRATION Monday Ev'ng Nov. 1, '15

Prizes Will Be Given

A Good Time Promised For Everybody

FOLLOWING IS A COMPLETE LIST OF PRIZES:

- Finest costumed man, first prize \$7.50; second prize \$3 hat
- Finest costumed lady, first prize \$7.50; second, silk umbrella.
- Most comically attired man; first prize \$5; second, dress shirt.
- Most comically attired lady, first prize \$5; second, lady's ring.
- Finest costumed boy under 12 years, prize \$2.50.
- Finest costumed girl under 12 years, prize \$2.50.
- Most comically dressed boy, under 12 years, prize \$2.50.
- Most comically dressed girl under 12 years, prize \$2.50.
- Best appearing float \$15; organization with most men in line \$10.

PLENTY OF MUSIC

THIS YEAR'S CELEBRATION WILL BE BETTER THAN EVER BEFORE

A SAFE WHITE BRIGHT LIGHT

The light that saves your eyes and saves your trouble. Fear oil cannot give this kind of light, but

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the best oil made, the oil that gives the steady light—no flicker, no odor, no soot—costs little more than inferior grades. Triple-refined, refined, refined. It is there in barrels shipped direct from our refineries.

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HELP FOR POTATO GROWERS IN PRAISE OF THE LOAFER

Finest of Tubers May Be Grown With the Aid of Embalming Fluid, Experiments Show.

It seems very curious that a chemical, extensively used to preserve the dead in the way of an embalming fluid, could be successfully used as a help toward growing good potatoes, but such is the case, remarks an exchange.

It has been found that a proper solution of formaldehyde will insure a most excellent crop of the finest potatoes, where it was formerly been quite difficult to make certain soil grow anything but a very inferior crop.

To prevent scabby or rusty appearing potatoes, the potatoes to be planted should be soaked for two hours in a solution composed of one pint of pure formaldehyde to 50 gallons of water.

It may be placed in large tubs, and the potatoes put in burlap sacks and laid in the liquid for a couple of hours, and then spread out on clean grass to dry for an hour or more before cutting and planting.

The potatoes should be cut into pieces having two or more eyes from which to sprout.

One good plan where a number of bushels of potatoes are to be planted is to have the liquid in barrels, with spigot at the bottom for drawing off liquid.

Potatoes should not be gathered up, after being treated, in the same sacks or baskets they were in prior to being soaked, as they are apt to be reinfected more or less by the disease which is being fought.

In certain localities the potato has become so diseased it is almost impossible to secure pure healthy seed and this formaldehyde process is remedying the difficulty largely.

NATION HAD EXALTED IDEAS

Pyramids and Temples of Early Mexican Race Reveal Much to Student of Religion.

Religion and superstition are much combined in the mind of the Mexicans, the result of both ancient and modern creeds. As to the antique beliefs and cult, there is much that appeals to the philosopher in the religious structures and history of the prehistoric, semi-civilized peoples of Mexico, or indeed of Spanish-America, whether North or South.

The pyramids and temples which the Toltecs and the Aztecs and the Incas built have something grand and broad underlying their main idea, the idea of being able to get on their temples rather than in them.

There is ever a source of inspiration in being upon the point of an eminence, to commune with providence, rather than being immured within some gloomy walls, with toppling spires overhead. The spirit ever tries to get out, to ascend, and is exalted in accordance with its altitude.

Did not Moses at Sinai bring forth the enduring Decalogue from the summit of a great natural pyramid, rather than from the gloomy interior of a temple?

The exceedingly numerous pyramids throughout ancient Mexico seem to attest some exalted idea of a natural religion which found outlet and habitation in the great Teocallis.—New York Telegram.

An American.

A native of any part of North or South America is literally an American, since he is a native of one of the American continents. Usage, however, has narrowed the term so that "an American" is generally understood to be a citizen or native of the United States of America, while a native of Canada, Mexico, Central or South America is known as a "Canadian," "Mexican," "Brazilian," "Guatemalan," or the like. The reason for the usage does not lie in any feeling that the United States preempts, stands for, or overshadows the other parts of the western hemisphere, but simply in the fact that, while Canada, Mexico, Brazil, the United States of Colombia, etc., are words which admit of adjective formation, "American" is the only adjective which can be formed from the name of our country to denote its citizens or to apply to its interests, industries, cities, etc.

Wise Precaution.

Very few people are ambidextrous; that is, able to use the left hand as readily and skillfully as the right. But there is an amusing story of one Irishman who was careful to cultivate that art. When he was signing articles on board a ship he began to sign his name with his right hand, and then changed the pen to his left hand, and finished it.

So you can write with either hand, Pat?" asked the officer.

"Yis, sorr," replied Pat. "Whin I was a buoy me father (rest his soul!) always said to me, 'Pat, learn to cut yer finger nails wid yer left hand, for some day ye might lose yer right!'"—Youth's Companion.

Blessing in Disguise.

"I don't see any billboards about here," said the visitor. "Do the residents object to that kind of advertising?"

Yes, but their wishes in the matter had nothing to do with the disappearance of billboards hereabouts," said the Kansas man. "We have providence to thank for that."

"I don't understand."

"Well, every time we accumulate a stack of billboards a cyclone comes along and scatters them over six or seven counties."

Master of Inactivity Usually Invites Confidence and the Friendship of His Fellows.

As a profession, of course, loafing is not to be thought of, for the loafer then becomes an object of contempt and there is something wrong with the man who courts contempt. But loafing as an avocation is another thing, and the successful loafer in that sense is a person of parts, a source of wonder and an example for beginners. Loafing should not be confused with apathetic inactivity. Your true loafer is honest with himself and the world, loafing deliberately and openly, never apologizing for his aversion to labor; and his thoughts never descend below devising new schemes for pleasant loafing. The loafer who merely sits inert is a loafer and will bear watching, but the loafer who is alive to what is going on about him and takes a healthy interest in life and affairs seldom arouses distrust or suspicion.

On the contrary, he usually invites confidence and the friendship of those less abundantly gifted. The social qualities are his particular hobby. He applies himself to the business of being useful to those who do not naturally claim attention; he cultivates a pleasant view of life which makes his smile sincere and his handclasp cheering.

Above all, he never exceeds the limitations of his natural endowments. If he is not possessed of an inherent nimbleness of wit he contents himself with making the most of his heavy wit. Affectation he dislikes, but he is never guilty, except by example, of condemning it in others.

OZONE JAG IS THE LATEST

Bracing Air of the Mountains Is Now Carried Into Stuff Offices and Factories.

An ozone jag? One of the newest things, I assure you, and right on the heels of the departing jag that came by way of a morning bracer or an evening cocktail.

The ozone jag is meant to carry the air of a mountain top to your stuffy office or your still stuffer factory and workroom. Instead of having to sneak out when nobody is watching, to get your accustomed eye-opener over the bar, this ozone stimulant is handed around gratis by the boss himself.

Wherever introduced, everybody, from the office boy and typewriter to the head of the establishment, indulges in this new air beverage, which is warranted to make the palest cheek glow like a Gloucester fisherman's and create an appetite that will carry distress to the heart of the stoutest boarding-house mistress.

The ozone is turned loose where all may breathe it. "What is the actual effect?" I inquired of a Philadelphia manufacturer who has really witnessed the results of wholesale ozone jags. "Makes all hands work faster and yet grow fat," was the reply.

The latter result will make it unpopular in spots, but ought to encourage its sale to persons of the Connie Mack type. Factories in this town are really trying this plan to introduce more ozone by artificial means. Physicians tell me that even in large quantities it will do no harm, but will make the blood tingle as if a mild alcoholic stimulant had been administered.—Philadelphia Ledger.

He Got the Apples.

"Once upon a time" began the teacher, "two little brothers started to Sunday school on Sunday morning. Their way led past a fine orchard where the trees were bending down with ripe, luscious apples. One of the brothers proposed going into the orchard and getting some fruit, but the other refused and sped away, leaving his companion greedily devouring the apples."

"Now, it happened that the owner of the orchard saw them, and the next day rewarded the good boy who refused to steal his apples by giving him a shilling. He got a prize for his honesty, and what do you suppose the other boy got for his dishonesty?" "He got the apples!" yelled every member of the class.

Audacity of Woman Spies.

A climax to the audacity of spies is said to have been reached in the case of a woman pretending to be English and giving her name as Miss Booth, who, in connection with another woman calling herself Baroness de Rosen, organized a charitable work at the Gare du Nord, in Paris, which they called "For the Wounded and for the Refugees." The former, suspected of illicit communication with the Germans passed before a court-martial and was sentenced to two years' imprisonment, while the latter, against whom no tangible proof could be produced, was invited to leave French territory within 48 hours.

Lost Art.

They had been sitting around the table at the club all evening as usual talking about the war—always the war. There fell a little silence at last and then Jones spoke. "Is there any person present," said he, "who can tell me what it was we used to talk about before the war?"

British Colonial Taxes.

England's colonies do not pay direct taxes. That principle was established in the American war for independence. Just now the colonies are making voluntary grants and are establishing the principle that they can only be petitioned for free gifts.

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Children Who Are Afraid at Night.

Writing of "Night Terrors," so common among children, Dr. Adolph Stern says in the New York Medical Journal that these have a deeper cause than those given in the text books, which are: Adenoids and enlarged tonsils, large or indigestible meals eaten shortly before going to bed, and the telling of harrowing or terrifying stories—like ghost stories.

According to Doctor Stern, children who sit up screaming "Mother, mother!" "The black man!" "The ghost!" or even those who constantly cry for a drink of water, are generally the offspring of neurotic mothers who have themselves been made neurotic by receiving too much attention, too much emotional affection, by being kept too dependent, not leaning on themselves but on others.

The cure for such children is to make them play with other children, to let them do things for themselves, such as dressing and bathing, themselves and going to bed alone. Thus they will acquire a spirit of independence.

Daylight Saving in Canada.

Considerable attention is being given throughout Canada to a so-called daylight-saving scheme. The movement in Halifax is in accord with an effort all over the dominion to have the clock put back one hour on April 1 each year, continuing to some autumn month, in order to give more daylight for work and pleasure. Meetings are being held all over Canada with a view to bringing the matter to the attention of the federal parliament at its next session. The Halifax committee is composed of representatives of the city council, trades and labor council and wholesale and retail merchants.—Commerce Reports.

Disastrous Famines.

The worst famines of modern times were the famine in Ireland in 1846-7, in which 1,000,000 people perished, the Indian famine in 1866, which claimed 1,450,000 victims, the Indian famine in 1877, in which 500,000 people perished, and the great famine in China in 1878, in which 9,500,000 perished.

Fox Farms Fail.

Many failures in the new industry of fox farming in Alaska are recorded by E. Lester Jones, deputy commissioner of fisheries, in the report on his recent investigation in Alaska for the department of commerce. He finds that the promise of big profits caused many to rush into the business, and small fortunes were sunk by men who did not understand the difficulties of the industry.

The rush to raise foxes, the commissioner says, was due to the exorbitant prices paid for live black and silver-gray foxes raised in Canada. These prices, he declares, did not indicate a healthy condition in the industry. Nevertheless there was a rush to raise foxes in Alaska in the hope of reaping big profits quickly. One of the chief reasons for the large majority of failures, according to the commissioner, was the government's system of leasing certain islands to prospective fox farmers at a minimum of \$200 a year for five years. The figure proved too high.

Precocity.

Precocity may be defined as a form of premature mental development that is instanced when a child five years old has learned that the drumstick is not the best part of a turkey gobbler.—Houston Post

Immune From Typhoid Fever.

Sir Frederick Treves, chief of the British army medical service, reports that up to January 26 there had been 35 deaths from typhoid among the British soldiers at the front. Of these 35, 34 had not been protected by anti-typhoid vaccination. The single case of death in a vaccinated man was of one who had received only the first dose.

Of 20,000 Australian troops receiving the protective inoculation Surgeon General Williams reports: "Not one single case showed any after symptom which could be considered worthy of consideration. Not a man had to be taken off duty; drills and exercises proceeded as usual."

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CONSTANTINOPLE IS TRANSFORMED

(Continued from page one.)

One woman and the crowd took up the cry. Then a riot broke out and the flags on the bakery and in the neighboring buildings were torn down. When help came to the lone policeman about a dozen women were arrested and thrown into jail. If they were fortunate enough to receive bread and water while there bread riots might have become exceedingly popular in Constantinople.

The poorer classes of people hearing of victory after victory argue simply, but effectively, "If our soldiers are victorious, why don't our husbands, our sons come back to us? Why are there so many wounded? Why don't we have all the bread we want?"

Lining Their Pockets.

Young Turk leaders who are responsible for the present state of affairs can talk for hours about the benefits that their country has derived and the glorious future that will be hers through their sacrifices. Sacrifices! I have yet to hear of any influential member of the present regime who has not been lining his pockets with gold for fair days in Constantinople or for rainy days to come as Asia Minor. Whatever happens they do not intend to lose materially by the offices they have held.

The disappearance of public money is so well known that rarely is a Turk to be seen putting anything into the "For the National Defence" cans, which are shoved under one's nose in the street, on tramcars, in restaurants, in public gardens, everywhere but in the home. Nor is the Turkish public any longer contributing freely to the funds of the Red Crescent.

Three or four times a week hospital ships return from Gallipoli with wounded soldiers and Constantinople is aware of the fact, although often the men are kept at the Customs house to be transported through the streets under cover of darkness.

The recruit in the raw comes from the interior of Asia Minor or from far-off Arabia in his picturesque garments, puts on a uniform and the peculiar helmet that has replaced the fez, receives an uncertain amount of military training and goes when needed to the front usually by a transport ship carrying also ammunition and rifles that have been made by German workmen in the Turkish capital, or shipped as a certain amount was until recently, across Rumania and Bulgaria as "pianos," "agricultural machinery," and the like.

Krupp's Men in the City.

If you could stand outside any one of the four large factories that are busy manufacturing ammunition and guns when the workmen leave in the evening you would think that Krupp's was pouring its bare-necked brawny armed workers out upon you. Undoubtedly many of them are from Krupp's, even though their passports quite likely state that they are shoemakers and tailors. Take these German munition workers, add to them the enormous staff at the German Embassy, the German officers at the Ministry of War, and those back on leave from Gallipoli, the German women of the streets, the proprietors of beer gardens and the men on whose caps you can read "Breslau," "Goeben," "Loreley," and "Unterseeboots Flotille" and you have a more or less floating population that has considerably changed the external aspects of life in the Pera and Taksim sections of the city.

Beer flows everywhere; German films, some of them glorifying the armies of the Kaiser, predominate at the cinemas; "Pension Schiller, the most popular play in Berlin," is being played nightly in Turkish by Turkish actors in Pera's one theatre; German officers in mufti occupy the best tables at the Garden Bar; Germans and Turks run the Constantinople Club, which before the war was under the control of its English members; Tokatlani's has a menu in German; "Nachrichten" bureaus give the latest German news to all who are willing to enter; special classes have been established for Turks who wish to learn German, but—

The Levantine population has taken up the study of English in secret. "I suppose the Turks have followed the lead of the Germans and devote most of their hatred to the English?" I said to an Austrian on my first morning in Constantinople. "Oh, no," he quickly replied, "they hate the Germans most." So long as they are successful the Turks will endure the Germans, and take all the credit for this success to themselves, but when the dark days

PERSONALS

Mrs. Willis J. McCook of Third street has returned from Pittsburgh where she spent several days with relatives.

C. R. Newcomer and T. D. Williamson were business callers in Washington Wednesday.

Mrs. John S. Metz of Washington avenue spent Wednesday in Pittsburgh.

Mrs. J. G. Schooley and son Billy have returned to their home at Philadelphia after visiting with her aunt Mrs. C. P. Bastian of Sixth street.

Mrs. Stratton and daughter Miss Ada Mitchell of Fallowfield avenue spent Wednesday in Pittsburgh.

Rev. and Mrs. W. G. Mead of Crest avenue attended a reception at Speers Tuesday evening held in honor to the Methodist minister at that place.

Mrs. Charles Caulfield and daughter Eleanor have returned to their home at Pittsburgh after visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Morgan of Lincoln avenue for several days.

W. H. Milliken was a business caller in Pittsburgh Wednesday.

Mrs. Earl Piper of Fifth street visited in Monongahela with her mother, Mrs. Alvin Sloan.

Mrs. Charles S. VanVoorhis of Sixth street and Mrs. S. Walton Sharpnack of Washington avenue spent Wednesday in Pittsburgh.

STOMACH TROUBLE

Digestion is largely a mechanical process. When there are stomach troubles there is usually a weakness of the muscles upon which digestion so largely depends. To strengthen these muscles and overcome stomach troubles our druggists Piper's Drug Store guarantee Vinol a reliable non-secret remedy, which contains iron medicinal extractives of fresh cod livers without oil, and the nourishing properties of beef peptone, all combined in a delicious native wine. If you are suffering from stomach trouble, it will pay you to try it.

LONG BRANCH

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Skilcorn and Miss Phyllis Cowl were visitors at the home of Ralph Cowl Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Sloan and son Edward were in Pittsburgh last week.

Mrs. Copenhagen of California has been visiting her son here for some time.

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. Bruer a son. Mrs. Calshaw and daughter Sara were in Pittsburgh Saturday.

Mrs. John Slouts expects to move to Daisytown.

William Gregg has returned to work at Denora.

Miss Clara Gregg has gone to live at Elco.

Miss Fay Hixenbaugh has been on the sick list.

WALL TO BE CONSTRUCTED ABOUT CREST AVENUE SCHOOL BUILDING

A wall will be constructed about the yard of the Crest avenue building facing the alley where paving has just been done, according to the school board which decided Tuesday night at a regular meeting to ask for bids. This was the chief item of business at the meeting, it being a short session.

HEBREW LADIES' AUXILIARY ARRANGING TO GIVE DANCE

Invitations will be issued within the next day or two for the first dance to be given by the Hebrew Ladies' Auxiliary of Charleroi, on Wednesday evening, November 10. The affair will be held at the new Moose club at Seventh street and McKean avenue. Tuelli's orchestra will furnish the music.

MISS GILLIE HOSTESS TO SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASS

Miss Anna Gillie entertained the members and friends of the Star class of the First Christian Sunday school at her home on Meadow avenue Tuesday evening. An enjoyable evening was spent with games and music as the diversions. The hostess assisted by Miss Harriet Watkinson served refreshments.

Apples, Apples, Apples
Balwins, Bellflowers, Rambos, Grimes Golden, sweet and sour. 25c per peck at Clark's Grocery. 108-13

come—well, I should not like to be a German in Constantinople, and least of all a Young Turk official.

HAS QUITE TOO THOUGHTFUL

Husband Who Received Basket of Soft-Shell Crabs From Wife Saved the Bread for Himself.

"Yes, I've heard from my wife and she's going to hear from me. Down on the shore where she is they have the very finest soft-shell crabs that ever used a nipper, and when they're fried they show themselves for the kindly disposition critics they are. Well, this morning I got word from my wife that she was going to send some of 'em fried and ready to eat. 'A fine lot' is the way she told me about 'em, and I had visions of about a bushel of 'em; so I promptly notified friends in the East end that they were on the case.

"When the package arrived at the office it wasn't as large as I had expected, but I told myself not to be greedy and decide to make a fair division. Division wasn't easy, for the package contained two smaller packages. Opening one, I sampled the goods and found them worth while and then passed them around in the office. They lasted three minutes. Then with the other package neatly tied I took a car for the East end. This is where the drama approaches the 'smash.'

"My wife is a very thoughtful woman. When she provides a lunch she provides the trimmings. It was quite a little snack she wanted me to have at the office and she carefully put the crabs in one package and—

"Yes, you have it! When I proudly opened that package in the presence of my East end friends, I found that it contained four slices of bread!"—Pittsburgh Dispatch.

JUDGMENT ON LEGAL POINTS

Recent Decisions Handed Down That Are of More or Less General Importance.

The right of a person injured in a swinging door to recover for the negligence of another customer against the proprietor of a store has just been passed on by the supreme judicial court of Massachusetts in Smith vs. Johnson. The court held that where plaintiff, in entering defendant's store through a swinging door, put out her hand to guard her face from the door, which was swinging in her direction, and it was crushed between the door and the jamb, defendants were not liable, such door being in good condition and similar to those generally used, and there being no such crowd as would require the keeping of a door-man.

A similar ruling has been made in New York state by the appellate division, second department, by a majority vote, in Pardington vs. Abraham where the prevailing opinion said:

"The proof showed that similar doors, with springs of the same or greater strength, are in use at numerous like establishments in the borough of Manhattan. There does not appear to be anything about their construction or operation to make them dangerous to the customers of a department store, provided ordinary and reasonable care is exercised in their use. That it is possible to use them so as to injure others is demonstrated by this very accident; but carelessness in the use of any form of door may inflict injury upon one who happens to be sufficiently near it. No doubt the plaintiff has been the victim of a lamentable accident, but it is attributable, as it seems to me, not to any fault of the defendants, but rather to the hasty carelessness of a third person over whose movements and conduct they had no control."

INTRODUCE A NOVEL SPORT

Society Girls Sit in Chairs and Cast Their Hooks for Goldfish in Hotel Fountain.

A cane, a piece of thread and a bent pin, together with bread crumbs for bait, form the basis of a novel indoor sport introduced at an exclusive Pasadena hotel by two fun-loving society girls. The goldfish in the fountain which graces the big lobby of the hotel form the prey, although to date there have been no serious casualties among the finny beauties.

To sit comfortably in a big Morris chair in the lobby of a palatial hotel and at the same time enjoy all the delights dear to the followers of Isaac Walton is quite a novelty, declare the girls, who make a great sport of luring the fish to near-capture. "Goldfish are fun to angle for," says Miss Marion Landers, who, with Miss Edna Walsh, introduced the odd sport. "We don't care to eat them, though, so any we catch we put back. It's great fun, don't you think?"

It certainly is, declare the prominent eastern guests, who were interested spectators of the novel fishing.

The Old and the New.

Inventions have a remarkable knack of repeating themselves. Among the more interesting patents for 1914 is a specification for a wheelless motor car, propulsion being by means of skids, which are alternately lowered and raised. In the early days of locomotive history many inventors did not believe that sufficient adhesion was to be attained by a smooth wheel operating on a smooth rail, and weird and wonderful were the devices for overcoming this supposed defect. One ingenious engineer went so far as to design a contrivance in which jointed metal bars worked up and down on the rails after the fashion of a horse's legs, and there seems to be a certain affinity between this device and the motor car referred to above.

CHAMPIONSHIP BOUT TO BE HELD AT RINK

Johnny Ray, With a Title Well Earned From Patsy Brannigan And Battling Schultz to Face Each Other Saturday Night.

The biggest boxing show ever given in Charleroi, a show that may have a bearing upon the future lightweight championship of the country, will be held at the Charleroi skating rink



JOHNNY RAY

Saturday night under the auspices of the Monongahela Valley Athletic club. The main bout will be between Johnny Ray of Pittsburgh versus Battling Schultz of Monessen. Ray a short time ago defeated Patsy Brannigan, erstwhile champion in a battle at Pittsburgh, giving him right of claim to the title. Battling Schultz is a fighter who looks good to local boxing fans, so they anticipate the warmest kind of a go Saturday night. There will other events of interest in the preliminary battles. The show will start at 9 o'clock.

Notice to Contractors.

Sealed proposals for the erection of a concrete wall in rear of Crest Avenue School Building, between Eighth and Ninth streets, will be received by T. M. Faddis, secretary of the School Board, until 9 o'clock, Saturday evening October 23. A certified check for \$50 must accompany each bid and the board reserves the right of any of all bids. Plans and specifications can be secured from J. C. Brenton, Architect. 108-13

Inspecting Tracks

A party of Pennsylvania Railroad officials from Pittsburgh and Philadelphia offices passed over the Monongahela division this morning on an inspection of the tracks. Prizes for well kept tracks will be awarded later.

CLASSIFIED!

WANTED—Servant girl. Middle-aged woman preferred. Good wages. Apply 622 Mail office. 107-12

WANTED—Girl for general housework at 712 McKean avenue. 108-13

LOST—Friendship bracelet with 11 silver links. Return to 623 Mail. Suitable reward. 108-12

WANTED—Young lady for music department, must be good piano player. Apply J. G. McCrory Co. 5 and 10 cent store, Charleroi, Pa. 108-13

Yes—Many People have told us the same story—distress after eating, gas, heartburn. A **Roxall Dyspepsia Tablet** before and after each meal will relieve you. Sold only by us—25c. Carrell's Drug Store

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Not Worth Solving.

"I have pondered all my life," says R. P. Walker, "on which was more important in this world, brains or money. But when I look around and see how many get along on little of either, I conclude I am wasting my time trying to solve the question."—Kansas City Star.

Modern Children.

In describing the children who had moved in next door little Helene said: "They're not troublesome children; they don't do anything you tell them not to do, but they do everything you don't say anything about."

Hardly a Matter of Creed.

"I am sorry, but I advertised for a Scandinavian cook," said Mrs. White. "Lard Sake!" replied Paralysis Pearl Waddles. "What difference do it make what a lady's ligion am, des so's she kin cook?"—Judge.

A WOMAN'S BACK

The Advice of This Charleroi Woman Is of Certain Value.

Many a woman's back has many aches and pains.

Often 'tis the kidneys' fault. That's why Doan's Kidney Pills are so effective.

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Mrs. Fred Jackson, 207 Prospect avenue, Charleroi, says: "About five years ago, I was troubled by a constant backache. If I did a little extra work, the pain in my back was intense. I didn't rest well at night and got up in the morning lame and stiff. If I stooped, sharp pains caught me and I could hardly straighten up. I also had rheumatic pains in my back and arms. I couldn't do my sweeping. Dizzy spells and hot flashes bothered me terribly. As Doan's Kidney Pills had been used in the family, I got a box at Piper Bros.' Drug Store and began taking them. One box practically cured me."

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